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... as described by Cowan, this has only recently been identified.¹

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2. Julia Miller et al., *Gender and Literature* (New York: Routledge, 2016), 125.
3. Maanak Gupta et al. *Access Control Models and Architectures for IoT and Cyber Physical Systems* . (Cham, CH: Springer, 2022), 25.

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2. World Health Organization, *Promoting Health in an Urban Framework* (Geneva, Switzerland: World Health Organization), 2014, 36.
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2. *Principles of Science Fantasy* (Amsterdam: Black Books, 2001), 66.
3. *An Illustrated Dictionary of Signs and Symbols* (New York: Macmillan, 2006), 34.

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2. *Principles of Science Fantasy* , 77.
3. *Illustrated Dictionary of Signs* , 43.

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Examples

1. Nathan Harrington, ed., *Language Teaching* (Sydney: Graywolf Press, 2001), 37.
2. Jonathan Edgar, ed., *The Best New Zealand Short Stories* (Wellington: Greymouth Press, 2022), 35.
3. Amy Smith and Bridget Brown, eds., *Sustainability in Practice* (Vancouver: Northwoods Press, 2026), 5.

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Footnote examples

1. Harrington, *Language Teaching*, 370.
2. Edgar, *New Zealand Short Stories*, 65.
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Chapter or section from a book written by the book's author(s):

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1. Author First Name Last Name, "Chapter Title," in *Title of Book* (Place of Publication: Publisher, Year of Publication), page number(s).

Examples

1. Geoffrey Atkinson, "Inclusive Education for Reflective Practice," in *Special Needs in Education* (Melbourne: Pearson, 2012), 37.
2. Ian Stewart and Jack Cohen, "The Origins of Life," in *Figments of Reality: The Evolution of the Curious Mind* (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 1997), 22.
3. Gillian Healy et al., "Analytical Methods of Sound and Style," in *Musicology for Beginners* (London: Southwoods Press, 2016), 360-361.

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Example

1. Amelia Holmes, "Intercultural Communication," in *Communication and World Literature*, ed. Robyn Minto (Sydney: Pearson, 2011), 78.
2. Robyn Trinick and Luama Sauni, "Sūsū: More Than Just a Dance," in *Intersecting Cultures in Music and Dance Education: An Oceanic Perspective*, eds. Linda Ashley, and David Lines (Cham, CH: Springer, 2016), 60.
3. Steven O'Connor et al., "New Zealand Colonial History Revisited," in *Settlers and Empire: Making New Zealand*, ed. Victor K. Tamati (Wellington: Awa Press, 2015), 155-56.

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2. Trinick and Sauni, "Sūsū," 65.
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Example

1. Colette Cauvin, Francisco Bescobard, and Aziz Serradj, "Cartographic Design," in *Thematic Cartography and Transformations*, Vol. 2, *Thematic Cartography* (London: John Wiley & Sons, 2010), 390.

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1. Cauvin, Escobar, and Serradj, "Cartographic Design," 395.

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Example

1. Raewyn Dalziel, "Southern Islands: New Zealand and Polynesia," in *The Nineteenth Century*, ed. Andrew Porter, vol. III, *The Oxford History of the British Empire*, ed. Roger Louis (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1999), 574.

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1. Dalziel, "Southern Islands," 580.

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3. Archer, 40.
4. Wall, *Truth and Meaning*, 324.
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